IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of David A. Morgenstern et al. Serial No. to be assigned Filed February 5, 2001 For PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF N-(PHOSPHONOMETHYL)GLYCINE BY OXIDIZING N-SUBSTITUTED N-(PHOSPHONOMETHYL) GLYCINE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, SIR:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-63, 71 and 78.

Respectfully submitted,

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